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Startling Discovery.

The discovery by the inhabitants of a locality hitherto unvisited by the pestilential scourge of fever and ague, that it exists in their very midst, is decidedly startling. Such discoveries are made every season, in every part of the Union. Consequently, when it is ascertained, as it invariably is at such times, through the valuable experience of some one who has been benefited and cured, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a thoroughly efficacious eradicator of the disease, and a means of fortifying the system against it, a sense of more security and tranquillity reigns throughout the whole neighborhood. Besides the febrile forms of malaria disease, dumb ague and ague cake are removed by the potent action of the Bitters, to which science also gives its sanction as a remedy for rheumatism, dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaints, debility, kidney troubles, and all diseases impairing the organs of digestion and assimilation.

In Consumption Insurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; am now on my third bottle, and am able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made." John Middleworth, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died from lung troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottle free at Hodgkinson & Co's. drug store.

The Reasons Why Acker's Blood Elixir is warranted, is because it is the best Blood Preparation known. It will positively cure all Blood Diseases, purifies the whole system, and thoroughly builds up the constitution. Remember, we guarantee it.

W. PINNIGER, Druggist.

Dyspepsia for Fifteen Years.
M. P. Holland, Postmaster, Rockaway Beach, Long Island, N. Y., was entirely cured of dyspepsia and rheumatism of sixteen years' standing by taking two Brandreth's Pills every night for a month. During the month he took them he gained eight pounds in weight. (d-dod)

Old And reliable Medicines are the best to depend upon. Acker's Blood Elixir has been prescribed for years for all Impurities of the Blood. In every form of Scrofulous, Syphilitic or Mercurial Diseases it is invaluable. For Rheumatism, has no equal.

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Electric Bitters.
This medicine is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise—a pure medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove pimples, boils, Salt Rheum and other afflictions caused by impure blood; will drive malaria from the system and prevent all curable and incurable fevers. For cure of headache, constipation and indigestion try Electric Bitters—entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Price 50cts. and \$1 per bottle at Hodgkinson & Co's. drug store.

Can't Sleep Nights, is the complaint of thousands suffering from Asthma, Consumption, Coughs, etc. Did you ever try Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all Lung Troubles, sold on a positive guarantee at 10cts. 50cts.

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Thousands of Dollars are spent every year by people of this State for worthless medicines or the cure of the at and lung diseases, when we know that Acker's will only invest \$1 in each. This is the best remedy for consumption and kindred complaints that would in this pleasant remedy find relief. It is recommended by many physicians and the members of the Golden State, Gold and guaranteed by Osburn & Shoemaker at \$1 per bottle. Three for \$3. The most subversive of all nostrums, and easily succumb to California Cat-Cure in six months' treatment at \$1. By mail, \$1.10.

If you Would enjoy your dinner and are prevented by Dyspepsia, use Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. They are a positive cure for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency and Constipation. We guarantee them. 25 and 50 cents.

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An Absolute Cure.
The ORIGINAL ABETINET OINTMENT is only put up in large two-ounce boxes, and is an absolute cure for old sores, burns, wounds, chapped hands, and skin eruptions. Will cure all kinds of sores. Ask for the ORIGINAL ABETINET OINTMENT. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker at 25 cents per box—by mail 30 cents.

Acker's Blood Elixir is the only Blood Remedy guaranteed. It is a positive cure for Ulcers, Eruptions, or Syphilitic Poxing. It purifies the whole system, and banishes all Rheumatic and Neuralgic pains. We guarantee it.

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Palpitation of the Heart.
Persons who suffer from occasional palpitation of the heart are often unaware that they are the victims of heart disease, and are liable to die without warning. They should banish this alarming symptom and cure the disease by using Dr. Fin's Heart Remedy. At all druggists, or J. J. Mack & Co., 9 and 11 Front St., S. F.

Unconsciousness. Malaria comes from habitual constipation as from any derangement of the functions of the body, and it is difficult to cure, for the reason most likely to take the medicine usually prescribed is the Druggist, who is prepared to obviate this difficulty, and they will be found pleasant to the taste. Women and children are safe. At all druggists, J. J. Mack & Co., prepared by J. J. Mack & Co.

Live Stock Miscellany.

The more an animal is exposed, the greater share of his food goes to keep up bodily heat.

Flesh can easily be worried off of an animal, and it is just as well, therefore, to stop worrying either one's self or their cattle.

The main thing is to take good care of your stock, and then there will be no cause to inquire what is the best medicine for them.

When animals are first put up to fatten they should be fed cautiously as there is danger that more food may be given at once than their digestive organs can manage.

The demand in England for butter during the last year was for 300,000,000 pounds. Of this Holland and Sweden supplied 290,000,000 and the United States 10,000,000.

Senator Palmer, of Michigan, has a hobby in his Jersey cows and Percheron horses. His butter costs about \$2 a pound, and yet some people are so ignorant as to be prejudiced against "fancy" stock.

France has seventeen different breeds of cattle. Great Britain has fourteen. They were all formed before breeders undertook to improve them. It is soil, climate and feed that form breeds. Nature makes breeds, breeders improve them by selection. America has a few of the best English and German breeds, and a mixture of all of them.

Englishmen are still floundering through the difficulties of the introduction of the system of selling cattle by weight, as simple as it seems to the American mind.

At the late London Christmas market, cattle to the value of \$650,000 changed hands on the guess-work plan—a plan by which English producers are undoubtedly robbed by the acute dealers.

Wyoming stock raisers have paid more attention to hay raising the past season than ever before. Many ranchmen have sown alfalfa and timothy together, and claim that they do better so than when sown separately, as the timothy holds the alfalfa up from the ground, and the latter holds moisture, so necessary for the perfection of the timothy.

Judge Krekel, in the United States District Court at Kansas City, rendered an important decision. The case was one in which Chas. B. Hudson had shipped 378 steers from Bennington, Kansas, with orders to have them in the Kansas City stock yards the next day in time for the markets. The Union Pacific railroad guaranteed to do this, but failed to comply with the contract, and the cattle were sold next day, when the market was dull, at a loss of \$766. Hudson sued, and recovered the money with costs and expenses.

For more than forty years Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has been successfully prescribed in cases of consumption. This medicine always affords great relief in pulmonary diseases. Ask your druggist for it.

FARM FOR SALE!
160 ACRES,
Two Miles West of Bishop Creek,
INYO COUNTY, CAL.

Seventy-five (75) acres of alfalfa; seventy (70) acres in gr.-in; balance good pasture. All well fenced, Good Dwelling.

Fine orchard of twelve years' growth. All fruiting well, with fine specimens of apples and machinery on the place.

This is the second location on Bishop Creek. For particular, apply to

Chas. A. Levy, or John M. Dorner,
Bishop Creek, Carson City.
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RICHARD HERZ,
Successor to Wm. George.

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Sworn to before U. S. Com. J. D. Crawford.

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There is in some of the Eastern States a movement in opposite directions. Trusts are being formed to increase the prices of products, while the same companies are combining to reduce wages. Strikes are reported in different cities to prevent a reduction in wages, while the markets of the whole country are affected by the rise in the price of products. The power to do one implies the power to the other. If a combination is so comprehensive that no competitor can produce the same article, it must employ all the labor that is engaged in that industry. If the sugar trust can drive all other refiners from the field it will, of course, be the only employer in the sugar industry. It will have the power to raise the price of its product and depress the rates of labor. The greed of the trusts may work their own ruin. When it becomes apparent to the people that a few men who have combined to control different industries have set out to reduce wages while advancing the prices of products, there will be an expression of popular indignation that may put an end to trusts.

The little State of Rhode Island has just completed its census. The population is 304,284, a few thousand less than the estimated population of San Francisco. There are 118,070 people in Providence, its largest city, and the average population to the square mile is 238. As in most of the old thickly populated States, the females outnumber the males, there being 157,891 of the former to 146,394 of the latter. In this little State, where there must be a school house in sight from almost any point, there are 26,813 who cannot read or write. It is claimed, however, and probably with truth, that the illiterates are mostly included in the 85,561 foreign-born residents of the State. But Rhode Island, if small in territory, is rich in money. The savings banks hold \$40,575,390 of the people's money. One-fifth of the people work in manufacturing establishments. The fact that a State so largely given up to manufacturing industries should have so handsome a bank account indicates fairly good wages.

We notice, says the Salt Lake Tribune, that Representative Oates, of Alabama, has introduced a bill providing for the leasing of grazing lands for periods not to exceed ten years. Mr. Oates is a very bright man; he is on the right track, but does not understand the situation, if he designs his bill to cover the mountainous regions in the West. On lands which can never be reduced to cultivation the leases should be made for ten years, with the privilege of indefinite renewals, for the reason that men who might obtain such leases would fence the lands, build their stations upon them, and expect to make them permanent headquarters, which they would not do for ten years. In this way the Government would eventually obtain more money for her barren mountains, acre for acre, than she did for the Mississippi Valley.

Alaska makes a pretty good showing. Governor Swineford reports that in 1887 from there was marketed: In gold, \$1,300,000; fish, \$3,000,000; furs, \$2,500,000, and lumber, \$100,000, or a total of only \$50,000 less than was paid for the country by Secretary Seward. Time is abundantly vindicating the wisdom of the purchase. It is a vast country. Its inhabitants only number 10,000, and many of these are Indians. If ten thousand people, many of them mere savages, can make such a showing what may we hope for in the future? It is full time for the Government to give that country the order which comes of wise laws.

MERED, California, turned on the water Wednesday with due ceremonies. The event is worth celebrating. Merced occupies a position midway between the regions of the San Joaquin Valley which are dependent upon and those which are independent of irrigation. The great irrigation scheme takes the agriculture of the district out of the domain of chance into that of surety.

An editor in a Southern State wrote a fine article upon the text, "The State should poison Confederate veterans." He checked his baggage for Cincinnati next day, when it appeared in the paper, "The State should poison Confederate veterans."

WOODBURN'S RESOLUTION.

He Wants the Alaska Commercial Company Investigated.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Following are the preamble and resolution introduced into the House by Woodburn, of Nevada, in relation to the report of Governor Swineford, of Alaska, assigning the Alaska Commercial Company, and Governor Swineford's report complete.

WHEREAS, A. P. Swineford, in his report to the Secretary of the Interior for the fiscal year 1887, arranges the Alaska Commercial Company for a flagrant and outrageous abuse of the powers and privileges conferred upon it by the Government of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The foregoing statements are substantially corroborated by other officers and citizens of the government having knowledge thereof; and

WHEREAS, The charges therein contained involve the rights, liberties and property of American citizens, the development and prosperity of one of the most important territories of the Union, and the welfare of the nation itself, the obligations of duty resting upon the administration now in power, as well as upon Congress, to the American people, demand that Congress investigate at once the truth of the statements herein before referred to from the report of Governor Swineford, to this end that if found true the extraordinary powers and privileges heretofore granted by Congress be withdrawn for the protection of the public, and such provisions made as will protect the property of the government and the rights of American citizens in the territory of Alaska. Now, therefore, be it

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 470 Ophir, 9%;
 150 Mexican, 5%;
 200 Gould & Curry, 5%;
 445 Bass & Belcher, 6%;
 500 Con Cal Va, 18%; 19%;
 20 Savo, 7%;
 200 Chollar, 6%;
 455 Potosi, 6%; 9%;
 250 Hale & Norcross, 9%; 9%;
 444 Point, 7%;
 225 Gold, 6%; 9%;
 675 Alpha, 2%; 8%;
 450 Belcher, 7%; 7%;
 110 S Nevada, 5%; 5%;
 120 Imperial, 8%; 10%;
 200 Bullion, 1%;
 400 Exchequer, 1%; 1%;
 200 See Belcher, 3%;
 160 Confidence, 27%; 27%; 27%; 27%;
 200 Question, 1%;
 220 Union, 4%; 4%;
 100 Alta, 2%;
 150 Chollar, 5%;
 510 Utah, 2%; 2%; 2%;
 2000 S Hill, 5%;
 200 Occidental, 1%;
 700 Andes, 1%; 4%;
 300 Baltimore, 9%;
 100 W Potosi, 10%;
 200 Comstock, 3%;
 300 Hendricks, 8%;
 425 S Nevada, 8%; 10%; 15%;
 200 Mono, 1%; 1%;
 110 Eureka, 18%; 18%;
 200 Jackson, 1%;
 1220 Frize, 2%; 2%; 4%; 2%; 6%;
 460 Navajo, 1%; 5%; 1%; 4%;
 50 Independence, 4%;
 50 N B Isle, 7%; 5%;
 100 Queen, 3%; 4%;
 200 Arizona, 1%;
 200 Mt. Carmel, 2%;
 600 Delta, 2%; 2%; 2%; 2%;
 450 Bullion, 1%; 5%;
 50 Mt. Diablo, 4%;
 100 Mono, 2%;
 900 Perseus, 1%; 0%; 1%; 7%; 1%; 6%;
 100 Locomotive, 4%;
 30 Eureka, 18%;

MARRIED.

VAIL-RISING—In Virginia City, February 2, John Randolph Vail and Miss Susie Rising.

DIED.

STITE—In Reno, February 3d, Isaac H. Smith, a native of Lancaster, Ohio, aged 65 years.

NONAU-ET—In Virginia City, February 1, infant son of Mary and Duncan McNaught, aged 8 months and 15 days.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DETROIT HOTEL—General Salomon, G. A. H., and comrade, Frank Bokowits, Col. Fred Newland, A. B. Sanganian, W. Fulmer, San Francisco; A. Blumenthal, Joe F. Alexander, H. C. Davis, Carson; A. C. Cable, Botie; J. Hemmingwood, G. H. Shibley, Chicago; C. Montgomery and wife, N. Hansen, Hawthorne; J. Griffen, Humboldt; E. Jones and wife, O. D. Finner, J. Jones, Brooklyn; N. Y.; W. E. H. H. S. S. and D. Russell, Auburn; G. J. Scherbach, Chas. T. Monroe, Joe A. Towers, San Francisco; Mrs. Davis, Alturas; A. V. Muller, C. Eager, Carson; Miss Nellie Boyd, Miss Annie Millin, Miss Robin Mary, Frank Hatch, troupe.

PALACE HOTEL—Mrs. Sickels, Franktown; M. Whiting, Milford; F. C. Dickenson, Ranch; F. M. Wilson and wife, Chico; D. R. Russell, Auburn; S. A. Hulme, Verdi; L. Bolanger and family, Salt Lake; W. P. Jacobs, Reno.

JOTTINGS.

Fresh salmon, trout and other fish every day at Lamotte's, below the Postoffice.

Mrs. Al's dancing school Saturday afternoon and evening in the Nevada Theater.

Buckboards, all styles, neat, handy and durable, at J. T. Longbaugh's, Reno, Nev.

Oregon apples, pure maple syrup, Eastern cream cheese, corn meal, at Coffin & Larcombe's.

Valentines, comic and sentimental, at Thurston's. Prices range from five cents up. Every style.

W. Pinniger, the Reno druggist, has on sale in quantities to suit, matured Thistle Dew whisky for medicinal purposes.

For good wood, a full cord guaranteed, go to Haynes & Alger. Leave orders at Rube's butchershop or Nelson's cigar store.

The finest assortment of choice drugs and medicines at Fassett's store. Prescriptions carefully compounded by competent chemists.

The Arlington House, Carson, is headquarters for the leading men of the State, which means that the inner man is catered to in go d style by the management.

Go to Havenor's grocery store for the best groceries ever brought to this market. Good weight, low prices and fair dealing with every one is his motto for doing business.

At about noon time every day Jake Becken's saloon is crowded with people who don't have time to go home to lunch. They get a schooner of Wieland beer and a hot lunch for 12 cents.

In addition to a complete stock of all kinds of the best stationery, C. J. Brooks carries as far as an assortment of the most popular authors' can be found. Call and see his new holiday goods.

The new stock of goods at brabham Bros. is going off rapidly, and when you see a man with a neat-fitting, stylish suit of clothes on, it is safe to bet that he got them at the White H. We clothing emporium.

Go to E. C. Leadbetter's, for: Horseshoer, hony, Our Taste ham and bacon, Eastern cream cheese, maple syrup and maple sugar. Best and cheapest canned goods and dried fruits in the market. Give us a call and be convinced.

To Consumption Incurable.
 Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Aches of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable con-uptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; and now on my third bottle, and am able to oversee the work on my farm. It the finest medicine ever made."

James Middlewar, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died from lung troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottle free at Hodgkinson & Co's drug store.

SILVER PLATE NIGHTS—Bands miserable for the most part. Bands of silver are the only thing. You can buy them by the dozen & score.

THE HUMBOLDT RIVER.

A Committee investigating the Water Question. The *Silver State*, of the 20 inst., publishes the following: A committee appointed by the farmers of Big Meadows have been on a tour of inspection up the river. They looked at every dam erected in the river for the purpose of diverting water from its natural bed for irrigating purposes, as far East as Palisade Canyon. They found an immense tract of land, from four to six or eight miles wide, along the river that might be irrigated, and the owners of which in several places appear to be adopting measures to irrigate.

The use of the river water is a question which concerns every settler in the Humboldt valley, and is predicted that the Courts will sooner or later be called upon to settle it. The farmers of Big Meadows are taking a lively interest in the matter, and if any attempt is made to divert the water into valleys other than that along the river, proceedings will be commenced at once to prevent them from doing so. Wastage of water will also be looked after and prevented, as without water the rich agricultural lands above the sink of the Humboldt would be valueless. In ordinary seasons there is water enough in the Humboldt river, if used systematically, to irrigate the whole valley and make it one of the most productive in the United States. All concerned should meet or be represented in a convention to devise a method for utilizing the Humboldt river, and, unless they do so, litigation is certain to ensue.

Speculators and Home Seekers.

Last Monday, says the Carson Appeal, James A. Kennedy visited Preble & Young at Rio Bonito, and was taken in by the enterprising proprietors to the tune of twenty acres of land. The San Francisco Examiner says that Preble & Young

have not only a corner of Paradise, but Paradise itself. A long list of Nevadans have engaged a home in Paradise, among them being Mrs. H. C. Mygatt, once Mrs. Senator W. E. Sharpe, of Virginia City, Mr. Kennedy, of Carson, A. Abrahams, and J. S. Shoemaker, of Reno, A. B. Miller, of Elko, and Joseph Mandel, formerly of Virginia City.

It is said that every Nevadan who ever visited the colony in Butte county, California, has been so charmed with the place that he has purchased a home of not less than 20 acres.

Where the Money Goes.
 The following statistics concerning the financial history of Nevada from the date of its organization in 1865 to December 31, 1887, are condensed from the last report of Controller Hallock: Expenses of Legislative department, \$909,155.48; executive department, \$1,118,541.40; judicial department, \$584,039.72; public printing, \$303,001.10; public buildings, \$402,498.81; supports of State prison, \$1,306,066.40; charitable purposes, \$936,788.04; supports of schools, \$825,130.17; interest on State debt, \$1,143,929.56; redemption of State bonds, \$1,957,253.21; invested funds, \$1,643,561.18; miscellaneous purposes, \$1,272,689.85; total, \$12,532,569.35.

New Mines Discovered.

Silver State: E. J. Perry has discovered new mines in the Summit Springs range, about 50 miles southeast of Winnemucca. Several locations have been made, all of which look well. One of the ledges is about 30 feet wide, with streaks of ore through it which assay from 55 to 95 ounces in silver and 66 per cent. lead, and from \$4 to \$6 per ton in gold. The discoverers are stockmen, and know but very little about mining, but the ore which they bring to town indicates that they have good mines.

Mollie Boyd Company.
 The Los Angeles Express says: There was another large crowd at the Rink last night to see Miss Boyd and her excellent company in the thrilling melodrama "Passion's Slave." Miss Boyd again delighted her audience with the fire of her intelligent acting and takes a warm place in the hearts of our theatre-going public. The performance was an excellent one in all respects. "Passion's Slave" will be presented at the theater next Monday evening.

Religion Should Thrive There.
 Yesterday morning, says the Virginia Enterprise, our undivided community has taken a fresh start in its downward and eastward slide. Houses all along C street can be heard to crack and crush in the still hours of the night. The gas mains in Gold Hill and Virginia have been badly ruptured, and the big water pipes are also in the same fix. It is all caused by the settling motion of the ground under us, and it is enough to make timid people a little nervous.

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BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.
 Salt Lake is preparing for a real estate boom.

No. 1 arrived here one hour forty minutes late this morning.

A case of small-pox is reported at Summit, on the line of the N. & C.

A young man known as Chris, succumbed at Carson yesterday morning.

Soardust is being brought down in large quantities from the mountains by the Truckee river.

An assessment of 6 cents per share has been levied on the Found Treasure mine, Tuscarora.

County Assessor Stoddard collected poll tax to the amount of \$2,205 during the past year.

William H. Mitchell, proprietor of the Wisconsin hotel, Grass Valley, Cal., died on the 2d inst.

John Ford, a common drunk, was sentenced by Justice Young to-day to ten days in the county jail.

Assessments of fifty cents each on Best & Belcher and Crown Point will be delinquent to-morrow.

Allen residents of Nevada can become citizens of the greatest nation on earth for the paltry sum of \$7.50.

Douglas and Washoe are the only counties in the State which do not pay a tax on proceeds of mines to the State.

The Sacramento Bee now has three local suits on its hands. It is to one that the Bee will worst its opponents.

The North Belle Isle Mining Company paid a dividend Wednesday of 50 cents per share, aggregating \$50,000.

Austin Reveille: "Reno is in for a substantial boom in 1888. Real estate has doubled in value since the Winter of 1887."

General Master Mechanic A. J. Stevens, of the Southern Pacific, is reported to be seriously ill at his residence in Oakland.

Passenger train No. 1 which passed through Reno Wednesday morning, was ditched one and one-half miles west of Carlin.

About 7,000 tons of Comstock ore is the average amount now being crushed weekly, and the amount realized will exceed \$180,000.

It is estimated that the amounts paid out by the various Comstock mining companies during the month of January will aggregate \$212,362.

The net amount of Washoe county's contribution to the State for 1887 was \$41,971.85, being the largest sum paid by any county in the State.

The Central Pacific Railroad Company paid a dividend of 1 per cent. Wednesday, amounting to \$680,000. This is the first dividend paid by the company in four years.

The railroad company has given strict orders to conductors to stop smoking in emigrant and second-class cars, of which much complaint has been given lately by women passengers.

Judge Bigelow expects to go to Elko to-day, where he will hold court. As he will be absent about one month, the final report of the Grand Jury will not be made for the second Monday in March.

During the year 1887 Washoe county derived a revenue of \$2,081.25 from gaming licenses. Ormsby county is a poor second with a showing of but \$1,350, and Storey takes third place with \$1,275.

"Hell in Suspense."
 No news concerning the appointment of Directors of the State Board of Agriculture by the Governor to fill the expired terms of C. C. Powling, L. J. Flint, and Joseph Marzen, has yet been made public, although it is tacitly understood that one of the three named above will be re-appointed; in fact, a well-known citizen this morning offered to bet a new bat that the one alluded to now had his appointment "in his inside pocket." In deference to the modesty of the gentleman and for fear that the *Gazette* will again be accused of knowing too much about other people's business, the name of the alleged lucky aspirant will not be made public at this time.

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